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The British Columbian.
NEW WESTMINSTER, SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 1864.

THE FIRE.

It is well if we always learn wisdom by experience, and to turn every incident to some practical account for future use should ever be our aim. Such a dry season as that through which we have just passed—a fiery furnace—is, happily, of rare occurrence in this country; and, consequently, we may not be again exposed to so much danger from fire for many years to come. But with ordinary weather we have, and will have for some years yet, annual fires which will do mischief in the ratio in which we are unprepared for them. It will be proper, therefore, in constructing roads, bridges and suburban buildings to reckon upon these conflagrations and govern ourselves accordingly. With respect to roads made through the forest it has been more than once pointed out in these columns that the timber should be cut down the entire width of the road allowance—100 feet—so as to prevent stoppage from the falling of trees as well as to expose the road to the free action of sun and wind. To construct a narrow roadway through such dense forest as we have here, with lofty trees on either side meeting overhead and forming a green canopy which effectually excludes the rays of the sun, will never give a good, dry road; and it will, in the course of a few years, involve a greater expense to clear it of falling timber and otherwise keep it in indifferent repair than it would cost to open it up properly in the first instance. Look at the roads leading from this city just now. The timber brought down by the recent fire has completely blocked them up. And this occurs every year, although seldom to the extent it has this season. Our judgment is that, for all such roads, it is better and cheaper, ultimately, to have the timber cut down the width of the road allowance, which ought never to be less than 100 feet, and then have a roadway, such as circumstances would seem to justify, constructed in the centre, which could be widened and otherwise improved at need. In this way we shall have good and constantly improving roads, which will not be liable to obstruction every wind that blows. The same reasoning will apply to the bridges upon our country roads.

In connection with the serious loss from fire which has recently occurred in the suburbs of this city we wish to draw the attention of Government to the importance of having all the public reserves cleared as soon as possible. The Municipal Council have accomplished very much in having the large suburban range which was brought within the city limits last year cleared, at least so far as chopping down the timber is concerned. And very much of the wood thus cut down has been consumed by the late fire. But there is a public reservation of considerable extent lying between Park Lane and the Camp, upon which the timber is still standing, and which will some time or other originate a "big fire" which may do much damage both east and west. The longer that timber is permitted to remain the more damage it is likely to do as improvements will be constantly progressing on either side of it. It is very discouraging for settlers, after undergoing the toil and expense of clearing their lots and building upon them, to be constantly liable to have all their improvements destroyed, simply because inflammable matter is allowed to remain upon contiguous squares or other public grounds. While upon this subject we would again allude to the disgraceful condition of certain squares &c. within the original town site. Although Alice and Louisa Gardens are under contract to be cleared—though not done through the Municipal Council, which is undoubtedly the proper medium for all such work—yet there are other squares and gardens in more populous portions of the city which are still covered with timber, liable any day to originate a fire which might do much damage. Although favored officials—under the old regime, during which the contracts alluded to were let—may not happen to reside upon these squares, yet the property of other rate-payers is just as valuable and as much entitled to consideration as is that of the parties residing upon Alice and Louisa Gardens. We hope that the Government will, in conjunction with the Municipal Council, adopt immediate measures for clearing off all public ground within the city limits, as well as have the timber upon the reserve between the city and the Camp cut down; and we also trust no time will be lost in removing existing obstructions from country roads leading to this city.

New Advertisements.
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CELEBRATED SAUSAGE MAKERS,
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GAR CURED HAMS, PUGET SOUND
HAMS, OREGON HAMS, CALI-
FORNIA HAMS, HEY-
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New Westminster, Oct. 31st, 1863. no4

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Victoria, V. I., on the most favorable
terms, and shipping to destination;

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through the Custom House without
delay.

New Westminster, March 13th, 1863. ma14tc

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—AND—

CHEAPEST ASSORTMENT

—OF—

WATCHES,

JEWELRY,

—AND—

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—AND—

SURVEYOR,

CAMERONTON, B. C.

THE SUBSCRIBER begs to intimate to his Cariboo
friends and others that, having had several years' experience
in Canada as a practical Railway Engineer,
and having this day been admitted as a sworn Surveyor
for British Columbia, and having also recently provided
himself with a complete set of instruments of unsurpassed
excellence, he feels the strongest assurance of being
able to execute, with correctness, neatness and dis-
patch, any business that may be entrusted to him.
JOHN A. FRASER.
New Westminster, March 26, 1864. mh303m

NOTICE!

ALL PERSONS having any claim on the estate of
WILLIAM GILBERT are requested to send in their
accounts to Mr. Geo. Hooper, whose receipt will be
valid for all debts due to the same.

R. HARVEY, } Attorneys for
T. WILSON, } the Creditors.
New Westminster, March 1, 1864. mh2-tc

WOODCOCK & HAND,

[Late W. BLACKIE]

BLACKSMITHS, &c.,

New Westminster, B. C.

WOODCOCK & HAND respectfully beg to inform
the inhabitants of New Westminster that they
have taken over the above business, and are now
prepared to execute with dispatch all orders with which
they may be favored.

New Westminster, October 29, 1863. oc31-tc

New Advertisements.
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NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.

Messrs. Grelley Brothers

Have added to their comfortable

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A SPLENDID

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In which will always be found the best

DRINKS AND CIGARS.

—OOO—

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CORDIALS, BITTERS, &c.,

which they will sell by the bottle, gallon, or in case.

—ALSO—

THE BEST BRANDS OF

CIGARS,

Havana, Manila and Cheroots.

New Westminster, July 18, 1862. jy19

THE

COLONIAL HOTEL

—AND—

RESTAURANT.

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—OOO—

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The BAR will contain the choicest Liquors, while
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N. B.—Good, clean Sleeping Apartments connected
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as well as an excellent run for cattle on the grounds.
The strictest attention will be paid to the comfort of
those who may patronize the Lochlmond House.

JOHN MCMURPHY.
Lochlmond, British Columbia, March, 1863. tc

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—AND—

COFFEE SALOON.

—OOO—

THE UNDERSIGNED begs to inform his friends,
and the public generally, that he has removed
to his new and commodious establishment on the

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where he hopes to receive from a generous and dis-
criminating public an extended patronage, commensu-
rate with his increased facilities for accommodating them.

Coffee, Tea, Chocolate, Fies and Cakes,

supplied at all hours, and at reduced rates.

Orders for WEDDINGS and PARTIES promptly
attended to.

JOSEPH SOREL.
New Westminster, March 3, 1863. ma4

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

THE COPARTNERSHIP for some time existing be-
tween David Robertson, John Price, and Joshua
Price, under the style of "ROBERTSON, PRICE & BROS."
was dissolved on the 1st day of June, 1863, by mutual
agreement.

New Westminster, May 4, 1864. my7-1m

Victoria Advertisements.
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CAPITAL Ten Million Dollars!

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PERCY M. DOVE, ESQ.

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Vancouver Island & British Columbia,

and will now accept proposals for Insurance both in the

Fire and Life Departments.

They feel confident that the known Standing and
Character of this Office, the sound principles on
which it is established and the magnitude of its resour-
ces, will obtain for it a fair share of public patronage.

James Dickson, Esq., M. D., has been ap-
pointed Medical Examiner to the Life Branch.

ANDERSON & CO.,
Wharf Street, ja24

Victoria, 20th January, 1863.

BALMORAL SEED STORE

—AND—

Nursery Depot,

FORT STREET.

MY STOCK OF SEEDS, TREES, PLANTS, &c.,
being now very complete, Farmers and Merchants
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and British Columbia Merchants supplied at the lowest
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Presses, Mowing and Reaping Machines, Fanning Mills,
Ploughs, Harrows, Scythes or any other Implement or
Machine will do well to send their orders. Parties or-
dering will require to remit with the order about one-
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J. BEG,
ap18tc Balmoral Nursery Depot, Fort St., Victoria.

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chants, Steamboat Owners and others to his Stock, and
ascertain the prices before purchasing elsewhere.

N. B.—Fresh Garden Seeds Just received and
for sale.

W. J. ARMSTRONG.
New Westminster, March 27th, 1863. ma28-tc

NOTICE.

AFTER THIS DATE, URIAH NELSON & CO. ARE
not responsible for damage on Oils or Liquids
shipped in Tin.

URIAH NELSON & CO.
Port Douglas, May 2, 1864. my4tc

ANDERSON & Co.,

HAVE NOW IN STOCK and will keep continuously
Byass Porter and Ale, Martell and other Brandy,
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Every accommodation given to Goods landed on
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A large assortment of Goods for sale at Victoria pri-
ces, with the duty added!

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Copies of this paper can be had at the Book Store of Messrs. Clarkson & Co., Columbia-street.

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All advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Notice—W. T. Drake.
Colonial Secretary's Office.
Antler Bed-rock Flume Co.—J. J. Cochrane.

The British Columbian.
NEW WESTMINSTER, SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 1864.
VICTORIA AND OUR COAST TRADE.

The recent change in the Customs regulations of this Colony, to which allusion has been made in these columns, appears to have got up quite a furor—a tempest in a tea-pot—amongst the small-vessel-owners and smugglers of Victoria. The papers tell us that a "remonstrance" to Governor Seymour was in course of signature, and the British Colonist deems the subject of sufficient importance to claim a leader. The position taken and the arguments used, although somewhat whayey and partaking largely of the special pleading element, may pass with the cursory reader when viewed solely from a Victoria standpoint. And here would appear to be the cardinal mistake. So accustomed have the people of Victoria become, under the old, one-horse system of Government, to fancy themselves British Columbia, and to imagine that British Columbian legislation should have a single eye to their aggrandisement that they find it almost impossible now to realize the change which has actually come over the spirit of their dreams. Hence, when our Legislature enacts a law which is not calculated to promote their peculiar, selfish, greedy views they, forsooth, must protest against it! But when we come to view all this from the true stand-point—from British Columbia—how superlatively absurd the conduct of these strange and infatuated people must appear. They argue that because to compel vessels trading to the Northwest coast of this Colony to clear and pay duties here will prove an inconvenience and injury to such trade, arrangements must, therefore, be made for that portion of our revenue to be collected in another Colony! In other words, our Government must do this extraordinary and unheard-of thing, pure and simple, in order that a few traders in Victoria, the capital of another Colony, may be enabled the more profitably and the more securely against competition to retain the trade of our seaboard settlements. Has it not struck these people that the legitimate functions of the Government of British Columbia are to develop the resources and promote the prosperity of this Colony, not Vancouver Island? Has the idea never suggested itself to their minds that this is the proper place from whence to supply our coast trade? The whole difficulty would be got over by making this port the rendezvous of all coast shipping. If these "small vessels" find it inconvenient to come here to clear with their Victoria cargoes, let them receive their cargoes here; and if Victoria traders must retain the coast trade let them also come here to do it. To try to get up an alarm by prating about the sacrifice of the trade and all that sort of thing is the merest bunkum. If the trade cannot be done from Victoria direct under the proper law now in force, depend upon it it is not the trade which is going to suffer, but only Victoria; because it is clear enough that if it cannot be done from one point it will be done from another, and if one set of traders won't do it another will. We shall doubtless be tauntingly reminded here of our destitution both in shipping and in merchants who are prepared to undertake the trade. But how are we to supply the deficiency? Is it by legislating to prevent either shipping or shippers from settling here? Is it by framing our laws with a view to drive all our trade, both coast and interior, to and through Victoria? Certainly not. That policy has had a six years' trial and we are going on a new tack now. A break must be made sooner or later, and the sooner the better, although it should at first cause a little inconvenience, and interfere with the nice little commercial arrangements of some. It is surely better that a few traders in Vancouver Island should have to submit to a temporary inconvenience than that the interests of this Colony should continue to be sacrificed any longer by our trade being made to contribute mainly to the enrichment and building up of a commercial emporium in a separate and distinct Colony. Let not, therefore, the Government be deceived by the false, hypocritical cry that the coast trade will be sacrificed. It is the craft of these people who cry out so lustily "Great is Diana of the Ephesians" that is in danger. The people on the coast could and would be as cheaply and as well supplied from here as from there. And surely no disinterested person will say that it would not be more proper that the coast settlements should be supplied from here than from another Colony.

But there is another phase of this subject to which we feel it our duty once more to direct the attention of the Government. The trade carried on between Victoria and the North-west coast of this Colony is largely contraband. The quantities of spirits of the vilest description which these vessels have supplied to the Indians have been very great. So long as the trade was fostered by the anomalous arrangement recently abrogated it was exceedingly difficult if not impossible to suppress that illicit trade. But if all vessels engaged in the coast trade were obliged to clear and pay duty here the seat of the trade would be speedily transferred to this place, and it would be completely under the supervision of our efficient Collector, who would effectually suppress a traffic which is most demoralizing and fatal to the Indian tribes inhabiting the seaboard. In justice to the commerce of this Colony, in justice to the poor Indians, who have most piteously appealed to Government to keep away these "bad vessels which carry fire-water to them," it is the duty of Governor Seymour to carry out the views of the Legislature and of every British Columbian by enforcing the law as it now stands and turning a deaf ear to any remonstrances which may emanate from outside parties. But what a piece of presumption it is on the part of these people to imagine that Governor Seymour is going to suspend an Act just passed by our Legislature revoking an arrangement which has been found to work badly, and all simply to suit their convenience! Suppose a few of our traders were to send to Governor Kennedy a remonstrance against Victoria being continued a free port, because such an arrangement operates prejudicially to the commercial prosperity of New Westminster, what reply would they get? Why, "mind your own business," of course. And such is the proper reply to the Victoria remonstrance. Governor Seymour's business is to study to promote the prosperity of this Colony, not by building up a depot for our trade in another Colony, not by consulting the convenience and aggrandisement of the people of another Colony, but by framing our laws with a view to making this Colony as independent, commercially, as may consist with her geographical position; to build up a commercial emporium within the Colony. This little change in the Customs regulations is just "the straw that will break the camel's back." Let the law be rigidly and faithfully enforced and in less than a year we shall see the coast trade done from here, and in a great measure, shorn of its demoralizing whisky feature. As we have said, the change must take place sooner or later, if British Columbia is ever to amount to anything, and a more fitting time than the present is not likely to occur. Let His Excellency stand firm to the Colony he governs, paying no heed to Victoria intermeddling, and all will come out right. So sure as he gives them the slightest encouragement there will be no end of trouble; they will not rest satisfied short of ruling this Colony, as they did virtually do under the old regime. But why spend words in pointing out the consequences of what can never take place. Our Governor could not so far forget his position as to fall into such hands.

New Advertisements.



COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
New Westminster, June 2nd, 1864.

IN PURSUANCE OF CERTAIN RESOLUTIONS OF the Legislative Council, passed during the late session, the Governor has authorized the following Premiums to be offered with the view of developing the resources of, and stimulating industry throughout, the Colony:—

1. A Premium of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS (£500) to be paid to any person or persons who shall be the first to show to the satisfaction of the Government that he or they have successfully worked by machinery a VEIN OF QUARTZ producing either Gold or Silver, within the Colony of British Columbia.
2. A Premium of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS (£500) to be paid to any person or persons who shall be the first to show to the satisfaction of the Government that he or they have successfully worked any COAL MINE within the Colony of British Columbia, and have bona fide procured from such mine Two Hundred (200) tons of good Coal, and have shipped the same to any Port beyond the limits of the Colony.
3. A Premium of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS (£500) to be paid to any person or persons who shall prove to the satisfaction of the Government that he or they have been the first to complete in a bona fide manner the building of a VESSEL, within the Colony of British Columbia, of not less than Five Hundred (500) tons burthen.
4. A Premium of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS (£500) to any person or persons who shall prove to the satisfaction of the Government that he or they have been the first to find any new ALLUVIAL MINING DISTRICT sufficiently extensive to give remunerative labor to Five Hundred (500) men for a period of not less than Six (6) months.

The Governor in Council to be the sole judge as to whether any of the above Premiums are to be awarded.
By His Excellency's command,
ARTHUR N. BIRCH.

Antler Bed-rock Flume Co. Limited.
Notice of Call.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Directors of the above Company, held this day, a further assessment of Five Dollars (\$5) per Share was levied, to be paid at the office of the Company on or before the 7th June, 1864. By order,
J. J. COCHRANE, Secretary.
Victoria, V. I., May 27th, 1864.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY WARN all persons against purchasing the Steamer "HOPE" either at Sheriff's sale or otherwise, as the ownership of the same is absolutely vested in the Mortgagees, Guy Huston, Peter McQuade & Co., and John A. Mara.
Mr. W. T. DRAKE,
Solicitor for Mortgagees.
New Westminster, June 1, 1864.

EXPRESS, FREIGHT

PASSENGER LINE STAGES.

AFTER THE FIRST DAY OF MAY, 1864, THE Coaches of this Line will run as follows:

UP TRIP:
Leave Yale on MONDAYS and FRIDAYS, at 3 a.m., passing over the Scapsson Bridge and through the Canyons by daylight, and reaching SODA CREEK in time to connect with the stern-wheel steamer "ENTERPRISE," on THURSDAYS and MONDAYS at daylight, reaching Quesnel City the same day.

DOWN TRIP:

Leaves SODA CREEK on the arrival of the "ENTERPRISE," on TUESDAYS and THURSDAYS, reaching YALE on THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS in time to connect with the steamers for NEW WESTMINSTER.

Passengers going via DOUGLAS and LILLOOET can take Dietz & Nelson's Express Wagons over the Portage, and connect with BARNARD'S Express Wagon at LILLOOET, on MONDAYS and FRIDAYS, noon, for CLINTON, where seats are reserved for THROUGH passages on the Stages for SODA CREEK.

Passengers from above can obtain Through tickets at Soda Creek for Lillooet and Douglas.
F. J. BARNARD,
Yale, April 30, 1864. my28 to



PROCLAMATION.

BUTE INLET MASSACRE!

A REWARD OF \$250

WILL BE PAID BY GOVERNMENT, UPON AND for the apprehension and conviction of every Indian or other person concerned as principal or accessory before the fact, to the murder of any of the fourteen Europeans who were cut off by Indians, on or about the twenty-ninth and thirtieth days of April, now last past, in the Valley of the Homathco River, at Butte Inlet.
Dated Government House, New Westminster, 17th May, 1864.

By His Excellency's Command,
ARTHUR N. BIRCH,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN! m21

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Tenders are invited for the construction of a

Waggon Road from the Mouth of Quesnel to Richfield.

This line of the road will be at once decided upon, and carried out on the ground, and specifications of the proposed work furnished at the office of this Department at Richfield, where also further information on the subject will be given.

The work will be divided into four sections, and tenders are to be sent in for each section separately, or for the four sections together.

Payment for the work will be made on the road in cash.
The earliest possible public notice will be given of the exact date on which tenders will be opened.
By order of His Excellency the Governor,
JOSEPH W. TRUTCH,
Surveyor General.

Lands and Works Department,
New Westminster, 20th May, 1864. my21

W. J. ARMSTRONG,

AGENT FOR
FELL & CO'S GROUND COFFEE and Spices.

THESE SPICES are genuine, and consequently, much stronger than others imported from Eastern markets. I have always a large stock on hand, and will sell at the lowest rates in quantities to suit the Trade. All orders from the interior will receive prompt attention.
W. J. ARMSTRONG,
New Westminster, May 5, 1864. mytic

MR. WILLIAM OAKLEY,

ASSOCIATE OF ROYAL INSTITUTE OF BRITISH ARCHITECTS,

SURVEYOR

VICTORIA, V. I.

Address in New Westminster.—Mr. BULLOCK, at Mr. my18
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Commission Merchants,
WHARF STREET,

VICTORIA, VANCOUVER ISLAND.

H. N. DICKSON & CO., LONDON.

DICKSON, DEWOLF & CO., SAN FRANCISCO.

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New Advertisements.

GOODS

EX NAPOLEON III

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New Westminster, Feb. 26, 1864. fe27-1y

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JUST RECEIVED, from San Francisco direct, 500 Tons, No. 1 Choicest Coal Oil, in first rate order, which we will sell to traders at lower prices than it can be laid down here from Victoria.

N. B.—We shall always have a stock of the same on hand.

New Westminster, April 1, 1864. ap2to

NOTICE!

I HEREBY CAUTION all persons not to negotiate for a certain Note payable to F. S. SHERRELL, or order, on me, drawn on or about August 28th, 1863, for the sum of Six hundred and eighty Dollars, with interest at 3 per cent., as I have fully paid the same.

WILLIAM SIMMONS.

Lytton, April 29, 1864. my4 1m

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE!

ERNEST PIGHT and LUCIUS HOYT having entered into copartnership in the wholesale Wine and Liquor business, on and after this date the business will be carried on in the building formerly occupied by L. Hoyt, on the Pioneer Wharf, under the name and style of "PIGHT & HOYT." All debts contracted by either party prior to the 1st April, 1864, will be settled by the party contracting the same.

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New Westminster, April 1, 1864. ap2to

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MARY-STREET, OPPOSITE THE TREASURY.

Boots and Shoes made and repaired.

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This Journal is the only newspaper published in British Columbia; it is read by every business man from New Westminster to the Rocky Mountains, and is an advertising medium for the Colony. J. D. BAKER, in Victoria, and J. D. BAKER, in San Francisco, are our authorized Agents.

The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 1864.

THE CHURCH OF SCOTLAND.

We notice a paragraph in two of our Victoria exchanges devoted to the affairs of the Church of Scotland in these Colonies. There would seem to be a difference of opinion between the clergyman of that church in Victoria and the committee at home having charge of the colonial department of their missionary field as to the propriety of occupying Victoria any longer. If we understand the paragraphs aright, the Rev. Mr. Nimmo counsels withdrawal from a field where so little countenance is given him; the committee say they will lay the case before the General Assembly, and advise an appeal to the whole church to sustain and strengthen the movement.

As many in this Colony are interested in the issue of this matter, we may be permitted, as a faithful son of the "Old Kirk," to state our view of it. We do not agree with either the proposed withdrawal of the mission or its proposed continuance on its present limited and exclusive basis. There is ample room for more missionaries than we have yet got from any section of the Christian church, and we should regret the withdrawal of any suitable for their work. But there is not yet room for the branches of the same sections to establish themselves side by side in our small cities and sparsely settled districts. Union is the order of the day amongst Presbyterians in the North American colonies, Australia and New Zealand, and why could not we reap the innumerable advantages arising from beginning at the point to which they have been almost compelled to betake themselves in the colonies named, after years of struggling and unseemly rivalry and unnecessary expenditure? Why could not the Presbyterians of Scotland, Ireland and Canada send, and support for a time, their missionaries here on the understanding that they unite at once and co-operate with each other in building up a British Columbian and Vancouver Island Church, which shall be neither Canadian, Scotch, Irish, English nor American exclusively, but include the whole in one large-hearted, loving embrace? We believe no reason can be given why any should export or import distinctions which may be looked upon as differences at home, but which, in all the colonies, and in these particularly, are petty, hair-splitting, mischievous obstacles which can have but the one melancholy effect of dividing, weakening and ruining. These, we are happy to think, are the views of the Rev. Messrs. Hall, Jamieson and Duff (to be here in a few days) and the basis upon which they are prosecuting their work so successfully in both colonies—union among Presbyterians on the broad fundamental principles of the Westminster standards, without regard to nationalities abroad or sectionalisms at home. We feel confident that an overwhelming majority of the Presbyterians in these colonies are prepared to adopt this course in order to maintain a vigorous, useful and influential church, and that those missionaries or sections of the church who hinder this by unnecessary divisions will not receive their sanction or support.

The Late Fire.

Having been personally engaged up to a late hour on Tuesday in repelling the advances of the flames upon property in the rear of the city we were unable to give anything beyond the very meagre notice which appeared in our issue of Wednesday. In that notice we gave the names of four who were burned out at Sapperton. We are happy to learn subsequently that only three of the four were really victims, viz: Franklin, who lost his house and a great part of his effects; Bruce, who lost every article he possessed in the world; Gilchrist, who lost his house and a portion of his effects. This last case was rendered perhaps more distressing from the circumstance of Gilchrist's having been absent upon the Bute Inlet Expedition, from which he only returned to find a heap of smoking ashes, where he left a comfortable house and happy family. There were instances of heroic bravery, too, which ought to be noticed in connection with the Sapperton fire. We learn that almost superhuman exertions were made in order to check the fire, and no better evidence of this is needed than the fact that Colston's house is now standing. The Hon. Colonial Secretary, Mr. J. T. Scott, Mr. C. Good, Mr. Howse, Mr. Deasy, Mr. Argyle, Mr. Green and Mr. Ede, have all been mentioned to us as having exerted themselves in the most praiseworthy and sometimes daring manner in order to save both life and property. The damage done to fences and garden stuff must be very considerable, as we are informed that every piece of fencing in Sapperton was either burned or torn down to save it from being burned. The roads in that neighborhood also suffered more or less injury. On the Pitt river road 234 feet of the roadway which was constructed of cedar logs, covered with earth and gravel, was burned, while

on the North, or Burrard Inlet road, three of the bridges are more or less injured. In the rear of the city the house of Mr. Bennet was destroyed, and back about two miles on the Douglas street road Mr. Bennet was burned out, while some three miles down the river Mr. Martin's buildings were all destroyed together with most of the household stuff.

In the north-western suburbs considerable damage has been done in the destruction of fencing and garden stuff. There is an old saying that nothing is so bad but it might be worse; and, notwithstanding all these losses and misfortunes a general feeling of thankfulness ought to pervade the community on account of the smallness of the aggregate loss; and that feeling should find practical expression in assisting, as far as our circumstances will allow, the few who have lost their all.

The Retirement of Newcastle.

The *Evening Express*, a paper published in Victoria, V. I., has a leader upon the subject of the retirement of the Duke of Newcastle from the Colonial office, and in the course of which a rather rankorous attack upon the administration of His Grace is indulged in. Although far from admiring the policy of the late Colonial Minister, especially in so far as it concerns this Colony, yet we cannot go the length of our contemporary, who seems to be quite petulant over the matter. Nor can we agree with him as to the only specific charge which he brings against the Duke, viz, granting separate governments to these Colonies when such a step was in opposition to His Grace's judgment. We hold that to be one of the redeeming features of his administration. As to making this out to be "a notable instance of the Duke's weakness and vacillation," we look at it in quite a different light. Whatever the Duke's personal opinion might have been as to the desirability of uniting these Colonies, it would have been at once unwise and unstatesmanlike to unite them in the face of a strong and determined opposition from the principal colony; and his waiving his own opinion in deference to that opposition does His Grace the greatest credit. Under all the circumstances we look upon the acrimonious attack upon the Duke contained in the article alluded to as uncalled for and in very bad taste. In the same article the successor to the noble Duke is made out to be anything but what one could desire for that position. We are not sufficiently acquainted with the public history of Mr. Cardwell to offer an opinion pro or con, but be that as it may, we can say amen to the wish, expressed in the conclusion of the article, the return of Sir Bulwer Lytton to the Colonial office. We believe that had that gentleman continued to administer the affairs of the Colonies till now these Pacific Colonies, especially, would occupy a very different position in the Colonial empire to what they do to-day.

The Indian Difficulty—Probable Movements.

It is in contemplation by the Government to dispatch a strong expedition to Bentinck Arm for the purpose of co-operating with the party probably already marching from Fort Alexandria. Admiral Kingcome has volunteered to place his flag-ship *Sulley* at Port Moody, the head of Burrard Inlet, and the *Tribune* in this port, but His Excellency's object is to procure the *Columbine* for the expedition to Bentinck Arm on account of her speed. We understand that Lord Gifford declined to send the *Columbine* on the expedition in the absence of his superior officer, and now a correspondence is going on between Governor Seymour and the Admiral upon the subject. A definite reply was expected by the steamer last night, and should it be favorable the expedition, consisting of a party of marines and 80 volunteers, now enlisted here, will probably start immediately. Bute Inlet has been abandoned as a base of operations on account of the impossibility of penetrating to the interior from that point. The small party just gone up to that place will make arrangements with the Hotham Indians to notify the Government should any of the Chillicoteens make their appearance in that locality or should they obtain any information respecting their movements likely to be of use to the Government. They also bring to Nanaimo the two Indians, "Squint-eye" and "Little George," where the war ship will pick them up on her way to Bentinck.

The Civil Service.

The Governor has appointed D. C. Maunsell, Esq., to act as his Private Secretary during the absence, on a particular service, of Captain Holmes, R. A. The Governor, not being entirely satisfied with the checks, which at present exist on the outlay of public money, has appointed Robert Ker, Esq., to be Acting Auditor for one year experimentally. Mr. Ker will receive an addition of £100 to his present salary, but no other increase of expense will be thrown on the Colony by this arrangement. Mr. Ker though only Acting Auditor, will be regarded as the head of a Department. His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint C. J. Pritchard, Esq., to be one of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the Colony of British Columbia. This appointment, being honorary, will not involve any additional charge upon the public revenue.

A False Alarm.

We find in the Victoria papers of the 1st inst. an account of the massacre of McDonald and eight of his party by Chillicoteen Indians somewhere in the vicinity of Benshee Lake. This information is said to have been received by Judge Brew at Bute Inlet from two friendly Indians who came down from Bentinck via Benshee Lake, and, moreover, it is added that Mr. Brew expressed his conviction of the truth of the report. This report, which is said to have been brought to Nanaimo by the *Forward* on Monday last, naturally caused intense excitement in Victoria, and resulted in a public meeting, representations to Governor Kennedy and the opening of a recruiting office, to which hundreds rushed, eager to enlist. We are happy to be able to state that the thing is all a mistake. No such information was received by Mr. Brew, and no such information was conveyed to Nanaimo by the *Forward*. We would advise our Victoria contemporaries to be careful about how they admit such rumors into their columns just now. The truth is bad enough, and to aggravate the matter by publishing such groundless rumors as the one alluded to is unpardonable, whether the blame rests with the too eager publisher or the unprincipled news-monger.

The War News is to the 28th ult., from which it would appear the Federals are pressing on in the direction of Richmond despite Lee's stubborn opposition. There was a very warm engagement at Taylor's Bridge on the 23rd and 24th during which the Federal loss was 5000 in killed and wounded, and the loss on the other side presumed to be greater. Grant is said to be now within 20 miles of the Southern capital. There can be little doubt that the decisive battle of the bloody and protracted American war is near at hand, and there is as little doubt that the Southern cause presents anything but a hopeful aspect.

TREASURE.—No Cariboo express having arrived since our last issue we are unable to announce the arrival of any large amount of treasure. Something like \$7000 has come down by Dietz & Nelson's Express from the towns on the Lower Fraser. Barnard's Cariboo Express will be due at Yale to-morrow.

EUROPEAN NEWS.—The news from Europe is to the 15th ult., but is meagre. The Conference has come to an end—the *Times* say abandoned. The Bank of England had raised its rate of discount to 9 per cent. The Emperor and Empress of Mexico sailed on the 29th of April for Vera Cruz.

ADDITIONS TO GOVERNMENT HOUSE.—The contract for making certain additions to Government House was awarded to Mr. A. H. Manson.

ROAD TOLLS.—The road tolls collected at Yale during the month of May, 1864, amounted to £1310 7. This is, we believe, the highest figure yet reached.

MAIL CONTRACT.—Although the tenders for the mail service of this Colony were opened on Tuesday we believe it is not yet known who is the fortunate, or, possibly, unfortunate, aspirant.

BUTE INLET.—A small party under Mr. T. Brew, left in an open boat on Thursday evening for Bute Inlet. The object of this party is to bring away the Indians "Little George" and "Squinteye" with a view to their accompanying the contemplated expedition to Bentinck Arm, for the purpose of identifying the perpetrators of the massacre.

THE TWO STARS.—Raymond and Lafont performed in the Columbia Theatre on Thursday and Friday evenings to large and highly delighted audiences. Their performances are really astonishing, and well worth witnessing. We believe they proceed to Yale to-day.

PRISON RETURNS.—We are indebted to the politeness of C. J. Pritchard, Esq., Governor of the Jail, for the following abstract of prison returns for the month of May, 1864: In jail on 1st of the month, 12; received during the month, 15; discharged during the month, 12; in jail on 31st of the month, 15.

A GOOD MOVE.—We learn that a meeting will be held at the Camp this evening for the purpose of organizing a hook and ladder company for the Camp and Sapperton.

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS for week ending Saturday May 28th, 1864: Duties, £753 3 8; harbor dues, £13 9 8; headmoney, £14 12; tonnage dues, £96 18 6. Total, £878 2 4. Number of passengers entering this port during same period, 73.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT AND PILLS.—Instant Relief.—Sores which are daily extending, ulcers which are hourly deepening may be arrested in their torturing progress, and induced to assume a healthy action by applying this healing Ointment and taking these purifying Pills. It soothes all distempers of, and exterminates all morbid humors from the skin. Old ulcers of the legs, inflammations caused by varicose veins, and cramps of the lower limbs can sensibly be eased and shortly cured by Holloway's never-failing Ointment, which represents excessive, and stimulates sluggish vascular and nervous action. In constitutions breaking down under piles, flatulency, and other similarly painful maladies, a few applications of this cooling Ointment will give comfort, and a persistence in its use will effect a cure.

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For all deposits under 50 ounces \$2
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Ores of every description carefully Assayed.

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Victoria, May 7, 1864.

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Parties who are desirous of purchasing or selling

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MESSES. SMITH & BRIDGMAN offer their present business, known as "Hick's Hotel," consisting of a good Bar retail liquor business, together with the Boarding and Lodging House. Parties desirous of entering such business will be treated with liberality by application to

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THE SUBSCRIBER has made arrangements for keeping on hand a full and varied assortment of all kinds of Fruit Trees, Ornamental Trees of every description, Currant Bushes of all kinds, Rose Bushes, Grape Vines, Honey Suckle and other running Vines, Garden Seeds of every variety, Rhubarb and Flower Roots, and, in fact, everything in the horticultural line. The season's stock will be open for inspection on or about the 25th inst.

The subscriber, being a professional Gardener, will keep nothing which he cannot recommend, and will at all times be happy to afford his customers any information or directions respecting the planting of seeds, treatment of plants, &c.

REMEMBER the stand is nearly opposite Mr. Holbrook's store.

ROBERT HALL, fe10-tc

New Westminster, Feb. 9, 1864.

J. C. WHITE,**ARCHITECT AND DRAUGHTSMAN!**

IS NOW PREPARED TO DRAW UP PLANS OF Buildings, Specifications, Estimates, &c., on the SHORTEST NOTICE.

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The latest Ladies' Fashions from Paris on hand, an inspection of which is respectfully invited. mals lm

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THE SUBSCRIBERS flatter themselves that they will give entire satisfaction to all who may favor them with their patronage. A stock of the choicest

Liquors and Cigars

constantly on hand. Also, Bread, Biscuits, Cakes, Pies, etc. Prices very low.

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Boston Bar, B. C., June 25, 1861.

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HAMIL STREET, NEAR THE CUSTOM HOUSE, New Westminster.

THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully beg to announce that they are now prepared to execute orders in any branch of the above trades, on the most reasonable terms.

ESTIMATES, PLANS & SPECIFICATIONS made for every description of buildings.

Orders left at the Workshop will receive prompt attention.

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TO BLACKSMITHS & FOUNDERS!**ENGLISH BLACKSMITH COAL.**

R. BRODRICK, Coal and Commission Merchant, Union Wharf, would beg to call the attention of Blacksmiths and others to his stock of the

BEST (WIGAN) BLACKSMITH'S COAL

Ex HIMALAYA, from London,

eminently suited for forging purposes, which he will supply at very moderate rates. Orders sent through Messrs. Barnard & Co., and Dietz & Nelson's Express, will be filled at the shortest notice.

Victoria, V. I., April 29, 1864. my4 lm

THE ORIGINAL**PIONEER****GOVERNMENT BAKERY**

Lytton Square, New Westminster.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having taken over the above business from Mr. P. Hick, hopes, by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of public patronage.

Orders for Weddings and Parties promptly attended to.

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JOHN MURRAY

BEGS LEAVE to call the attention of his friends and the public to the

CAREFULLY SELECTED STOCK**FAMILY GROCERIES**

which he has just opened, and which he is prepared to sell at the

Lowest Possible Prices,

FOR CASH.

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THE**BRITISH COLUMBIA****MILL COMPANY,**

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WOULD RESPECTFULLY inform the Public that they are now prepared to furnish all descriptions of

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BOTH ROUGH & DRESSED.

ALSO, in quantities to order.

Tongued and Grooved Flooring,

IN ANY QUANTITIES.

From the superior character of the Mill just now completed, and from the facilities which they possess for shipping Lumber, there being sufficient depth of water at the Mill to float vessels of the largest size, they flatter themselves that they will be able to afford as great inducements to Lumber Dealers, and others, as any Mill on the Pacific Coast.

Bills of Lumber, of any dimensions, cut on the shortest notice.

Orders from Shippers or from the Interior are solicited, and will receive prompt and careful attention.

OFFICE—At J. A. Webster's Store, Columbia Street.

J. A. WEBSTER & CO.

New Westminster, October 27, 1863. oc28-tc

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(Late of the Royal Engineers.)

Surveyors, Civil Engineers,**Auctioneers, Land and General Agents,**

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Opposite Mr. Holbrook's Store.

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NEW WESTMINSTER, SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 1864.

Poetry.

The Gifts of the Gods.

[BY JOHN G. SAGE.]

The saying is wise, though it sounds like a jest,
That "the gods don't allow us to be in their debt."
For though we may think we are specially blest,
We are certain to pay for the favors we get!

Are Riches the boon? Nay, be not elate;
The final account isn't settled as yet;
Old Care has a mortgage on every estate,
And that's what you pay for the wealth that you get!

Is Honor the prize? It were easy to name
What sorrows and perils her pathway beset;
Grim Fate and Detraction accompany Fame,
And that's what you pay for the honor you get!

Is Learning a treasure? How charming the pair
When Talent and Culture are lovingly met;
But labor unceasing is grievous to bear,
And that's what you pay for the learning you get!

Is Genius worth having? There isn't a doubt;
And yet what a price on the blessing is set,
To suffer more with it than dunces without,
And that's what you pay for the genius you get!

Is Beauty a blessing? To have it for naught
The gods never grant to their veriest pet;
Pale Envy reminds you the jewel is bought,
And that's what you pay for the beauty you get!

But Pleasure? Alas! how prolific the pain!
Gay Pleasure is followed by gloomy Regret;
And often Repentance is one of her train,
And that's what you pay for the pleasure you get!

But surely in Friendship we all may secure
An excellent gift; never doubt it; and yet,
With much to enjoy there is much to endure,
And that's what we pay for the friendship we get!

But then there is Love? Nay, speak not too soon;
The fondlest of hearts may have reason to fret;
For Fear and Bereavement attend on the boon,
And that's what we pay for the love that we get!

And thus it appears, though it sounds like a jest,
The gods don't allow us to be in their debt;
And though we may think we are specially blest,
We are certain to pay for whatever we get!

What our Nanaimo friends think of our River and Capital.

We clip the following from the *British Colonist*, being a portion of a communication from its Nanaimo correspondent:—"All were delighted with the general appearance of the country. The scenery on both sides of the river was charming—so said the ladies—and the beautiful looking valleys and plains which were often observed were quite picturesque in their serene order. For the raising of stock, these spots, I should think, could not be surpassed; they seemed to be covered with an abundance of nutritious grasses, very much resembling the delta of Nanaimo river, only of course on a larger scale. We were nearing New Westminster, when on looking upwards and in the distance the towering snow clad summits of the mountains were in full view, penetrating the fleecy clouds that play so fantastically around their dizzy peaks. While thus looking about, some one described the "City of Stamps," a full view of which we soon after had; and on approaching the wharf we were greeted with three hearty cheers from the assemblage of citizens, to which we rather feebly and hoarsely responded. We were very agreeably surprised at finding the location of the city so very good, and to see such convenient and commodious wharves erected at a place so disparagingly spoken of by our Island friends; and as a refuge for shipping we thought it would match with harbors in good repute elsewhere. Going along Columbia street, one could not help admiring the many neat and tasteful dwellings bordering thereon, to most of which prettily laid out gardens were attached. We were amazed at the prodigious bulk and circumference of some of the stumps of cedar trees in particular. What a contrast to the puny poles that stand amidst our, in this respect, less favored climes! At length we reached the "show" and were saluted by the polite editor of the *British Columbian*, who enquired if we were from Nanaimo, and on being answered in the affirmative, kindly directed us to the table loaded with eatables and drinkables of a delicious class. The sports going on at this time were of a lively and varied character, such as horse-racing, foot-racing, jumping in a sack, climbing the greasy pole, &c. The dissimilitude between the tranquility which usually prevails at Nanaimo and the lively scene presented at New Westminster, was very striking to us; though we did not suppose that New Westminster often, if ever before, presented a similar aspect. Wending our way back to the steamer, the town site was more narrowly observed, and in our opinion was pronounced to be excellent. The ascent from the river is rather steep but gradual, rendering the important object of drainage an easy matter. We were told that above and to the rear of the town there is an extensive plateau from which a capital view of the surrounding country may be obtained. The site of New Westminster must have been densely covered with huge trees, requiring herculean will and persevering energy to clear away. In different directions the eye rests upon mounds of earth or large bluffs of rock, which give one the idea of having been gently uplifted by some subterranean volcanic action. These little hillocks lend a charming and variegated beauty to the landscape. Leaving New Westminster at three a.m., we reached Nanaimo just before nine o'clock, having made the return trip in six hours."

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New Advertisements.

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In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE that the Court, acting in the prosecution for the adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 4th day of August, 1863, against Edgar Dewdney, of the Colony of British Columbia, Auctioneer, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 5th day of April instant, at the instance of the creditors of the said Edgar Dewdney, then present, appoint GEORGE HOOPER, of New Westminster, to be an Assignee of the estate and effects of the said Edgar Dewdney.

New Westminster, April 5, 1864. ap27 im

BENSON'S WATCHES AND CLOCKS.

WATCH AND CLOCK MAKER, BY SPECIAL APPOINTMENT, TO HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES.

Opinions of the London Press upon Benson's Great Clock and Watches in the Exhibition, 1862.

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Do. do. finely finished, 6 Jewels.....	19 10	22 0	8 10	9 10
Do. do. extra, 8 Jewels.....	24 0	27 0	9 10	10 10
3/4 Plate Lever, Jewelled.....	15 10	18 10	6 10	7 10
Do. do. 6 Jewels.....	19 10	22 0	10 10	11 10
Do. do. 8 Jewels.....	24 0	27 0	12 10	13 10
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Weakness and Debility, Nervous Irritability.

The wholesome effect exercised by these admirable Pills over the blood and fluids generally is like a charm in dispelling low spirits, and restoring cheerfulness. Their general aperient qualities well fit them for a domestic medicine, particularly for females of all ages and periods of life. They never betray any disagreeable irritating qualities; they quickly eject all impurities from the system, and regulate every function of the body, giving wonderful tone and energy to weak and debilitated persons, while they brace and strengthen the nervous system in a most extraordinary manner.

To Regain Health, Strength and Vigour.

Whenever persons find themselves in that state termed a "little out of health," and there are so many causes at work to shorten life, it is necessary that Holloway's Pills, the finest purifier of the blood ever known, should be at once taken, as they not only rid both solids and fluids of all morbid matters, but regulate all disordered actions, and strengthen the frame in a most extraordinary manner.

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These Pills, assisted in their action by rubbing Holloway's Ointment very effectively twice a day upon the throat and chest, and keeping those parts covered with the preparation, will be found the most effectual remedy for asthma, coughs, colds, bronchitis, and influenza. These remedies tranquilize the hurried breathing, soothe the irritated air-tubes, and assist in dislodging the phlegm which stops up the air-passages. This treatment has proved wonderfully efficient in not only curing old settled colds, but asthma of many years standing, and even when patients who were in as bad a state as not able to lie down on their beds lest they be choked with phlegm.

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Any symptoms of the above complaints should be immediately met by appropriate doses of these Pills, according to the printed directions: delay may be followed by disastrous consequences. These Pills are a certain remedy for all the ailments of the alimentary canal, they secure the thorough digestion of the food, and act most kindly on the stomach, liver, bowels and kidneys. As a household medicine they are unrivalled, and should always be at hand.

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Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the world for the following diseases:—

Ague	Female Irregularities	Retention of Urine
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Bowel Complaints	Gout	Stomach and Bowel Complaints
Colic	Head-ache	Stomach and Bowel Complaints
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New Westminster, B. C., May, 1864.

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NOTICE TO MARINERS. LIGHTHOUSE

Race Island, Straits of Fuca, Vancouver Island.

VANCOUVER ISLAND.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Victoria, 16th March, 1864.

THE FOLLOWING NOTICE respecting the contemplated alteration in the external appearance of the Lighthouse at Race Rocks, in the Straits of Fuca, is hereby published for general information. By order of the Governor, WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG.

Notice is hereby given that after the 1st day of October, 1864, the Tower of the Race Rocks Lighthouse will be painted in alternate broad horizontal bands of black and white.

By order of the Lighthouse Board, (Signed) EDMUND HOPE VERNEY, Secretary.

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Piles, Fistulas and Internal Inflammation.

These distressing and weakening diseases may with certainty be cured by the sufferers themselves, if they will use Holloway's Ointment, and closely attend to the printed instructions. It should be well rubbed upon the neighbouring parts, when all obnoxious matter will be removed. A poultice of bread and water may sometimes be applied at bed time with advantage; and most scrupulous cleanliness must be observed. If those who read this paragraph will bring it under the notice of each of their acquaintances whom it may concern, they will render a service that will never be forgotten, as a cure is certain.

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Nothing has the power of reducing inflammation and subduing pain in these complaints in the same degree as Holloway's cooling Ointment and purifying Pills. When used simultaneously they drive all inflammation and depravities from the system, subdue and remove all enlargement of the joints, and leave the sinews and muscles lax and uncontracted. A cure may always be effected, even under the worst circumstances, if these of these medicines be persevered in.

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After fomentation with warm water, utmost relief and speediest cure can be readily obtained in all complaints affecting the skin and joints, by the simultaneous use of the Ointment and Pills. But it must be remembered that nearly all skin diseases indicate the depravity of the blood and derangement of the liver and stomach, consequently, in many cases, time is required to purify the blood, which will be effected by a judicious use of the Pills. The general health will be readily improved, although the eruption may be driven out more freely than before, and which should not be promoted; perseverance is necessary.

Sore Throats, Diphtheria, Quinsey, Mumps & all other Derangements of the Throat.

On the appearance of any of these maladies the Ointment should be well rubbed at least three times a day upon the neck and upper part of the chest, so as to penetrate to the glands, as salt is forced into meat; this course will at once remove inflammation and ulceration. The worst cases will yield to this treatment by following the printed directions.

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